

# Sneak Peek 2025-2026: The Best of Seraphic Fire

In 2025-2026, Seraphic Fire presents a curated collection of concerts that showcases the ensemble at its best. Featuring audience-favorite works, beloved composers, renowned conductors, and your GRAMMY®-nominated professional choir, don't miss out on the splendor of Season 23.

# October 9-12, 2025 - The Best of Seraphic Fire

## James K. Bass, conductor

You asked for it, and we are delivering! Our greatest hits: *Earth Song* by Frank Ticheli, *O Magnum Mysterium* by Morten Lauridsen, *Padre Nuestro* by Alvaro Bermudez and more. Associate conductor James Bass leads an audience-choice program with Seraphic Fire, America's all-star choir.

# November 13-16, 2025 - Bach Motets

## Patrick Dupre Quigley, conductor

Bach is our favorite composer, and we have a special place in our hearts for his motets. Hear Seraphic Fire's singers and the first-rate instrumentalists of the Seraphic Fire Period Orchestra bring six of Bach's most virtuosic and celebrated works to life.

# December 6-16, 2025 - 'Twas the Night Before Christmas

## James K. Bass, conductor

Everything you love about Seraphic Fire at Christmas in a new experience: timeless carols – The First Noel, Joy to the World, Silent Night – and a reading of the famed 1823 American poem, A Visit from St. Nicholas better known as "'Twas the night before Christmas"— that helped shape modern Christmas traditions worldwide. Join Associate Conductor James Bass and Seraphic Fire for a program featuring audience-favorite Christmas classics, including O Come All Ye Faithful and Jesus Christ the Apple Tree.

# January 15-18, 2026 - Gospel

## Jason Max Ferdinand, conductor

"Precious Lord, take my hand; lead me on, help me stand." Thomas Dorsey, the father of American Gospel, revolutionized music by setting these remarkable words to a haunting tune you know today. From *Amazing Grace* to up-tempo classics, the internationally celebrated conductor Jason Max Ferdinand leads the singers of Seraphic Fire in this joyous and electrifying program.

# February 19–22, 2026 – American Folk

## Patrick Dupre Quigley, conductor

This Land is Your Land, Simple Gifts, Farther Along, My Darlin' Clementine, and more! Bring the whole family to this American folk song celebration. The pure-toned voices of Seraphic Fire take you on a 75-minute journey through America's folk music roots. We'll also sing Ingram Marshall's *Hymnodic Delays*, perhaps Seraphic Fire's most requested piece, based on 18th century American folk hymns.

# March 19–22, 2026 – Candlelight

#### Arianne Abela, conductor

Seraphic Fire's annual candlelight concerts - Florida's most celebrated musical experience - blend ancient music with contemporary masterpieces, creating an ethereal, immersive experience. Featuring music throughout history with thematic connections to water and nature, the finest singing ensemble set in candlelight will take your breath away. Guest conductor Arianne Abela makes her Seraphic Fire debut in this ethereal sonic feast.

# April 9-12, 2025 - Surround Sound

#### Patrick Dupre Quigley, conductor

The full forces of Seraphic Fire close out this celebratory year with a surround-sound, polychoral experience imported directly from the Basilica of San Marco in Venice, Italy. You'll be at the center of the action as we sing from every corner of the room. An experience you can only get at Seraphic Fire, our season closes with this aural explosion.

#### **Renew your subscription today!**

Secure your seats for Seraphic Fire's unforgettable 2025-2026 Season! Subscribers enjoy assigned seating, and orders are processed on a first-come, first-served basis—so don't wait to reserve your spot. Please let us know about your seating preferences when you submit your order.

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